

HOUSE BILL 2420

By Moore

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 39,
Chapter 17, Part 11, relative to ticket scalping.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 39, Chapter 17, Part 11, is amended by adding the following language as a new, appropriately designated section:

Section 39-17-11__.

(a) It is unlawful for any person to sell or offer to sell any ticket to any music entertainment event at a price above the price printed thereon or, if no price is printed thereon, to sell such ticket at a higher price than the box office sale price plus a reasonable charge for handling or credit card use, not to exceed three dollars (\$3.00).

(b) Any violation of the provisions of this section is a Class B misdemeanor, punishable only by a fine of not more than five hundred dollars (\$500). Every sale or offer for sale constitutes a separate violation.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2008, the public welfare requiring it.